

State Quality Improvement Committee			
Meeting Dates:	January 26, 2009 February 23, 2009 March 23, 2009		Follow-up
Dash Board Items/ Studies:	State QIC continues to review dash board items periodically		
Public Relations:	February 23, 2009	<p>Duane Betournay, DCFS director presented to the State QIC. He discussed the current legislative session and possible budget cuts.</p> <p>Katy Larsen and Reba Nissen from the State Professional and Community Development Team presented the training plan that was required for the settlement agreement.</p>	<p>Duane will return by May 1, 2009 to give an update after the legislative session is completed in regards to how services to families may be affected.</p> <p>Katy and Reba will return no later than August 31, 2009 to give on update on the progress of the training plan.</p>
CPS Issues:	March 23, 2009	<p>Aude Bermond-Hamlet presented data trends in regards to CPS issues</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Percentages of CPS investigations initiated within the time period mandated by local statute, regulation, or policy. - Recidivism - CPS child victims with a prior HB or SCF case within the last 12 months. - Recidivism - CPS child victims with a prior CPS substantiated allegations with the past 12 months. 	State QIC will watch these CPS trends within the next several months.
QCR/CPR Participation:	February 2009 March 2009	<p>Southwest Region had 8 QIC members participate in the QCR process.</p> <p>Northern Region had 7 QIC members participate in the QCR process.</p>	